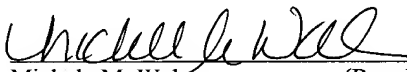


Conclusion

Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and remarks contained in this paper. It is believed that no charge is required for this Amendment. In the event a fee is required, please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 08-3425.

Respectfully submitted,

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In the Claims

Claims 28-31 and 74 have been amended as follows:

28. (Once Amended) The isolated polypeptide of 25 [or 26], which is antigenic.

29. (Once Amended) The isolated polypeptide of claim 25 [or 26], which promotes angiogenesis.

30. (Once Amended) The isolated polypeptide of claim 25 [or 26], which promotes epithelialization.

31. (Once Amended) The isolated polypeptide of claim 25 [or 26], which promotes vascularization.

74. (Once Amended) An isolated polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide of [claim 1, 7, 8, 21, 25, 26, 32, 42, 46, 47, 48, or 67] claim 1.

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